

(b) the quantity of milk that is being supplied every day from rural areas to this project ;

(c) the amount given to the Milk Producers Co-operative Societies for supplying milk to the Dairy ;

(d) the quantity of milk that is being supplied from these Societies ?

A.—Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) About Rs. 1.25 crores.

(b) About 14,000 litres.

(c) (i) Government loan of Rs. 1,10,000 to 21 Societies.

(ii) Government share contribution of Rs. 5.00 lakhs to 100 Societies.

(d) 6,000 litres per day.

Rural Electrification in Chitradurga District.

*Q.—313. Sri G. T. RANGAPPA (Hosadurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of Village Panchayats that have applied for rural electrification in Chitradurga District during 1965-66 ;

(b) the Number for which estimates have been prepared and the number sanctioned already ?

A.—Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Minister for Public Works).—

(a) 126.

(b) (i) Number for which estimates have been prepared ... 106.

(ii) Number of estimates sanctioned already ... 92.

Location of Fifth Steel Plant.

*Q.—362. Sri SANJEEVANATH AIKALA (Suratkal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the Government of Mysore submitted a Memorandum to the Anglo-American Consortium regarding the preferential claims of Hospet for the location of Fifth Steel Plant in South India ;

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(b) if so, what are predominant preferential points contained in the Memorandum ;

(c) who were the members of the drafting Committee to prepare the Memorandum ;

(d) what was the reply of the Consortium to the Memorandum ?

A.—SRI K. MALLAPPA (Minister for Industries and Commerce).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The Memorandum has highlighted that Hospet scores over other potential location both in respect of easy and economic availability of some of the major raw materials required for the project and also from the point of view of economic and most competitive distribution of the finished products of the project.

(c) The Memorandum was prepared by an Expert Committee consisting of the following members :

- 1 Sri T. Shamanna, Director of Industries and Commerce, *Chairman*.
- 2 Sri B. Seshadri Sharma, Additional General Manager, Mysore Iron and Steel Ltd.
- 3 Sri P. R. Balakrishnan, Vice-Chairman, Mysore Iron and Steel Works (Retired).
- 4 Sri D. V. Krishna Rao, formerly General Manager, Mysore Iron and Steel Works and Technical Adviser, Hindustan Steel Ltd.
- 5 Sri H. K. Ramanujam, formerly General Manager, Mysore Iron and Steel Works and Controller of Stores, Heavy Electricals Ltd ; Bhopal.

(d) The Consortium has submitted its report to the Government of India and the same is under the examination of that Government.

Member's Representation

SRI C. J. MUCKANNAPPA (Sira).—Sir, there is a very important question about fifth steel plant, that is Question No. 362. I request the Chair to put it.

MR. SPEAKER.—I am overhearing your own party member saying it has been discussed a number of times.
